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Docket No.: 600.1294  
 Date: September 12, 2005

In re application of: **Lars Christian HERZBACH, et al.**  
 Application No.: 10/730,464  
 Filed: December 8, 2003  
 For: **DEVICE FOR PROCESSING A PRINTING SUBSTRATE**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Response to Office Action (8 pages)** in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.  
☐ Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.  
☒ No fee for additional claims is required.  
☐ A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

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FOR:	REMAINING	HIGHEST		RATE	FEE	OR	RATE	FEE
	AFTER	PREVIOUSLY	PRESENT					
	AMENDMENT	PAID FOR	EXTRA					
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INDEP. CLAIMS	* MINUS 3	=	0	x \$ 100	\$		x \$ 200	\$
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				TOTAL:	\$	OR	TOTAL:	\$

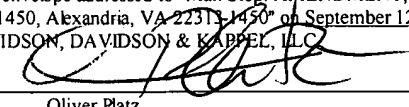
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- ☒ Also transmitted herewith are:  
☒ Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
☒ Other: **Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement with PTO-1449 (3 pages) and copies of cited references, Dictionary.com definition (2 pages)**
- ☒ Check(s) in the amount of **\$1200.00** is/are attached to cover:  
☐ Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16  
☒ Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
☒ Other: **IDS fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p)**
- ☒ The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
- ☒ Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
- ☒ Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.

  
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